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Respectfully submitted,

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STATUS INQUIRY

Applicant's attorney mailed a revocation and new power-of-attorney to the Office on February 25, 2005. To date, no acknowledgement of acceptance of the new power-of-attorney has been received.

On May 19, 2005, in an attempt to determine the status of this application, Applicant's attorney was denied access to PAIR. It is therefore possible that the correspondence of February 25, 2005 has yet to be acted upon and that the prior attorney-of-record, Birch Stewart Kolasch & Birch, continues to receive correspondence.

Applicant's attorney requests that the Office promptly act on the correspondence of February 25, 2005 by changing the attorney-of-record to Fish & Richardson. For the Office's convenience, a copy of the communication filed on February 25, 2005 is enclosed herewith.

A response to the first Office Action was filed on December 1, 2004. Accordingly, Applicant's attorney inquires as to the status of the application, and in particular, whether an office action has since issued.

In the event such an office action has issued, Applicant's attorney requests that a copy be mailed to the Fish & Richardson at the address below, and that the period for response be adjusted to reflect the delay in changing the correspondence address for this application.

No additional fees are believed to be due in connection with the filing of this response. However, to the extent fees are due, or if a refund is forthcoming, please adjust our deposit account 06 1050, referencing attorney docket "17299-004001."

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